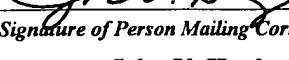


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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity) | | | | | Docket No. ENDOS-65227 | | | | | | |
| FEB 09 2006 In Re Application Of: David Hancock, et al. | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Invention: SELF-EXPANDING, PSEUDO-BRAIDED INTRAVASCULAR DEVICE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>10/5/2005</u> in the above-identified application.</p> <p><i>Date</i></p> <p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months</p> <p>from: <u>1/5/2006</u> until: <u>2/5/2006</u></p> <p><i>Date</i></p> <p>The fee for the extension of time is <u>\$120</u> and is to be paid as follows:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>06-2425</u></p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. <u>06-2425</u></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | |
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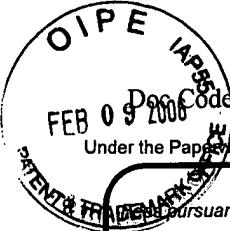
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2006

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)
\$120.00

Complete if Known

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| Application Number | |
| Filing Date | 8/26/2003 |
| First Named Inventor | David Hancock |
| Examiner Name | Thomas C. Barrett |
| Art Unit | 3738 |
| Attorney Docket No. | ENDOS-65227 |

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

Check Credit Card Money Order None Other (please identify): _____

Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 06-2425 Deposit Account Name: Fulwider Patton LLP

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FEE CALCULATION (All the fees below are due upon filing or may be subject to a surcharge.)**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

| Application Type | FILING FEES | | SEARCH FEES | | EXAMINATION FEES | | |
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| | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fees Paid (\$) |
| Utility | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 200 | 100 | |
| Design | 200 | 100 | 100 | 50 | 130 | 65 | |
| Plant | 200 | 100 | 300 | 150 | 160 | 80 | |
| Reissue | 300 | 150 | 500 | 250 | 600 | 300 | |
| Provisional | 200 | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

| Total Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
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HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

| Indep. Claims | Extra Claims | Fee (\$) | Fee Paid (\$) |
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4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Petition for a One Month Extension of Time

\$120.00

SUBMITTED BY

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| Signature | | Registration No. (Attorney/Agent) | 38,171 | Telephone | 310-824-5555 |
| Name (Print/Type) | John V. Hanley | | | Date | 2/6/2006 |

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